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## State Police Offer Winter Driving Hints

Ten commonsense suggestions for  
prolonging the life of your car this  
winter are offered by Lieutenant  
John deWinter, Director, Division  
of Traffic and Safety, Maine State  
Police.

1. Start right. Keep the clutch  
pressed down while starting.

2. Don't abuse the choke. Im-  
proper use can waste a lot of  
gasoline.

3. Warm up the engine. This  
warm-up period need not be long,  
but it will help prevent your stall-  
ing the first few blocks of your  
trip.

4. Don't overlook tires. When  
the mercury drops suddenly, tires  
may need more air, because air  
contracts with cold.

5. Go easy in starting. When  
moving from a parked or stopped  
position, put only slight pressure  
on the accelerator. Racing the en-  
gine will cause tires to spin on snow  
or ice, and you'll get into a groove  
from which it may be hard to get  
out.

6. Take care of your battery.  
Have it checked at frequent, reg-  
ular intervals. Demands on it are  
heaviest in winter months.

7. Check lights. Poor visibility at  
this time of year makes it im-  
portant to have headlights and  
taillights functioning well.

8. Keep windshield clear. Re-  
place dead windshield wiper blades  
with live-rubber blades. Make sure  
defroster is working well. Corre-  
ct faults without delay.

9. Keep brakes well adjusted.  
They should be in good order to  
assure simultaneous gripping on all  
wheels. If brakes "pull," they can  
cause a dangerous skid.

10. Carry chains and use when  
needed. When snow and ice condi-  
tions develop, chains will cut stop-  
ping distance about in half and  
help prevent accidents and tie-ups.

"The long, dark weeks of winter  
provide us with a real test of who  
is a good driver," deWinter said.  
"Let's not blame avoidable acci-  
dents on the weather or on the  
roads, when we know in advance  
that we must compensate for poor  
visibility and reduced traction by  
proper equipment and by caution  
in our driving habits."

The meeting of the Cum-Dub-L  
Club will be held Friday evening.  
Hosts and hostesses will be Mr  
and Mrs Dana Douglass Jr. and  
Mr and Mrs John Howe.



Miss Joan F. Hobson

### HOBSON - GROVER ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs Robert G. Chapman is an-  
nouncing the engagement of her  
daughter, Joan F. Hobson, Gilead,  
Pvt. John G. Grover Jr., East  
Stoneham, who is now stationed  
at Camp LeJeune, N. C. He is a  
graduate of Norway High School,  
class of 1950.

Miss Hobson is now a senior  
at Gould Academy, Bethel.

No date has been set for the  
wedding.

### GUILD TO HAVE CUB SUPPER NEXT MONTH

The Guild met for a pot luck  
supper Wednesday evening. Hos-  
tesses were Monique Rolfe, Elsie  
Waldron, and Elizabeth Jordan.  
Katharine Adams had devotions.

Harriett Noyes gave a very in-  
teresting account of activities of  
the Cub Scouts. The Guild voted  
to have a supper for the Cubs

Feb. 27. World Day of Prayer will  
be held Feb. 20, followed by a tea.

Elizabeth Glines and Sibyl Noyes are  
the committee appointed for the  
tea. A traveling food sale will be  
started soon. The Guild will donate  
to the polio drive.

### PTA TO MEET JANUARY 20

The January meeting of the Pa-  
rent-Teacher Association will be  
held Tuesday evening Jan. 20, at  
eight o'clock at the Crescent Park  
School.

The program will consist of a  
discussion led by Mr Vachon of the  
findings of the school survey com-  
mittee and problems considered in  
their work to date. Emphasis on  
what to do for room to take care  
of the increasing enrollment will

be the main point. A large atten-  
dance is expected, including people  
from the rural areas as well as the  
village, as school planning af-  
fects all people of the town.

### OXFORD DAIRYMEN TO MEET AT NORWAY, JANUARY 22

Annual meeting of the Oxford  
County Dairy Herd Improvement  
Association will be held in the  
Norway Grange Hall, Thursday,

January 22, president Shirley Ben-

ton, Fryeburg, announced today.

The Junior Plano Pupils of Edith  
Hayes Eppen are inviting their  
parents to attend a playing class  
to be held at the Eppen home.

Sunday, Jan. 18th, at three o'clock.  
The children taking part are as

follows: Deborah and John Howe,  
Penny Davis, Bonnie Whitman,  
Susan Boynton, Dwight Lori,  
Cherry Douglas, Bunny Blake,  
Timmy Carter, Elizabeth Waldron,  
Marijane Brown, Chris Angrine,  
Dorothy Kimball, Caroline Chas-

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Mr and Mrs Earlon Paine enter-  
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Saturday evening. Mrs. Robert  
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Robert Keniston, Mr and Mrs Donald  
Brown, Mr and Mrs Stanley

Davis, Mr and Mrs Richard Davis,  
Mr and Mrs Norman Dock, Mr  
and Mrs Wallace Saunders, Mr  
and Mrs Frank Lowell, Mr and  
Mrs Irving Brown, Mr and Mrs  
Stanley Brown, Mr and Mrs Robert

Yorke and Mr and Mrs Earlon  
Paine.

### SOUTH PARIS GAME HERE POSTPONED

The Gould Academy-South Paris  
basketball game, scheduled to be  
played here Friday night, has been  
postponed.

### CD DIRECTOR ADVISES TOWNS TO SOUND ANY AUDIBLE SIGNALLING DEVICE

When the State-wide test air  
raid alert takes place from 1:30 to  
2:00 p. m. on Friday, January 15,  
Maine's Civil Defense and Public  
Safety Director Spaulding Bisbee  
urges that communities sound any  
available audible signalling device.

General Bisbee is concerned lest  
the smaller communities which do  
not have fire sirens or public sig-  
nals fail to utilize some acceptable  
means to alert the general public.

"In event of actual attack upon  
this country by enemy bombers,"

said General Bisbee, "it is imperative  
that every citizen receives  
sufficient warning to take cover.  
Although the January 16th test does  
not require public participation,  
we do want the various cities and  
towns to sound their public warning  
devices on the 'all clear'." (The  
"all clear" is a series of three one  
minute blasts at intervals of two  
minutes.)

The State Director has suggested  
that police car sirens, factory whis-  
tles and even the horns of cruising  
automobiles could be used in the  
absence of a central alarm.

Local CD Directors will relay re-  
ports on the test to the State Civil  
Defense Office via their respective  
County CD Director.

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### IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

E F Ireland is a patient at the  
New England Medical Center, Bos-  
ton.

Mr and Mrs John Compass went  
Wednesday to Boston to visit rela-  
tives.

Mr Henry Flint returned Mon-  
day from the Rumford Commu-  
nity Hospital.

Mr Ralph Young returned last  
Friday from Robert B. Brigham  
Hospital, Boston.

Mr and Mrs Roy Blake left Sun-  
day on a vacation trip which will  
probably include a visit to Florida.

Mr Mabel Robertson is spending  
some time with Mr and Mrs Robert  
Kneeland and family, West  
Bethel.

Mr and Mrs Laurence Sanders  
and family moved Saturday to  
Phillips where Mr Sanders is in  
business.

Miss Belle Hamlin returned Sun-  
day after spending a few weeks  
with Mr and Mrs Andrew Cale,  
Berlin, N. H.

Miss Ruth Donahue of Boston  
and Alan Myette of Newton Center,  
Mass., were weekend guests at E  
O Donahue's.

E O Donahue was at Togus the  
first of the week for treatment. He  
is spending a few days visiting  
relatives in Lewiston.

Richard Ireland is one of six  
candidates for Carnival King at  
the Middlebury College Winter  
Carnival on Feb. 19-21.

State Trooper and Mrs Kenneth  
Wing moved this week from Aug-  
usta to the apartment vacated by  
Mr and Mrs Laurence Sanders. Mr  
Wing is assigned to this area to  
replace Mr Sanders who recently  
reigned.

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### ALIENS MUST REPORT ADDRESSES THIS MONTH

The Immigration and Nationality  
Act of 1952 requires each alien who  
is residing in the United States  
on Jan. 1, 1953, to report his cur-  
rent address to the Commissioner  
of Immigration and Naturalization  
Service within the period Jan. 1  
to Jan. 31, 1953.

All United States post offices  
are again participating in this  
program to the extent of distrib-  
uting the cards on which reports  
are to be made, collecting the cards  
from aliens and forwarding the  
completed cards to the Central  
Office of the Immigration and Na-  
turalization Service at Washington;

### PURITY CHAPTER ELECTS INSTALLATION TO BE JAN. 27

Purity Chapter No. 102, OES,  
met at the Masonic Hall Wednes-  
day evening, January 7, with a  
supper served by Helen Morton,  
Luella Tikkander, Helen Runnels and  
Annie Hastings. The annual meet-  
ing followed with election of offi-  
cers and the following were elect-  
ed:

Worthy Matron, Helen Morton;  
Worthy Patron, Herbert Morton;  
Associate Matron, Annie Hastings;  
Associate Patron, Francis Noyes;  
Conductress, Dorothy York;  
Associate Conductress, Barbara Bryant;

Secretary, Ethel Bisbee;

Treasurer, Carolyn Forbes;  
Finance Committee, Eugene Van-

Mary Clark, Helen Runnels;

A special meeting will be held

January 27th when the installation  
will take place. Installing officers  
will be as follows:

Installing Grand Officer, Bessie Frangendons of Lewiston;

Installing Grand Marshal, Hazel K. Libby of Richmond;

Installing Grand Chaplain, Madeline P. Jacobs of West Paris;

Secretary, Ethel Bisbee;

Treasurer, Carolyn Forbes;

Finance Committee, Eugene Van-

Mary Clark, Helen Runnels;

Refreshments will be served af-  
ter the installation by Helen Run-

nells, Elizabeth Reynolds, Poly

Myers, Pauline King, Ada Dur-  
ell and Marguerite Clark.

### EICO FOUNDATION AGAIN ASSISTS IN GREENWOOD

During the past week gifts from  
the Eico Foundation amounting to  
\$650 have been announced. A check  
for \$250 was given toward an or-  
gan for the Locke Mills church  
which it is expected will make  
possible the purchase of a Ham-  
mond organ soon. The town of

Greenwood has received \$100 to  
aid in the purchase of a piece of  
mobile fire-fighting apparatus.

Last year the foundation started  
the organ fund with a \$250 donation  
after which the townpeople raised  
another \$300. Also given last  
year was a \$50 contribution to

the school hot lunch program.

Checks for these donations were  
forwarded through the E L Tets-  
hets Spool Co., the Locke Mills  
subsidiary of the Eico Corpo-

ration.

Funeral services were held at  
the home in Hanover Monday af-  
ternoon. Rev Charles Pendleton  
officiating. Interment was in Han-  
over cemetery.

### LOCAL YOUTH JOINS MARINE CORPS

Tommy Smith, son of Sam T.  
Smith, Bridge Street, Bethel, left  
Monday, Jan. 12th, for the U. S.

Marine Recruit Depot, Parris Is-

land, South Carolina, where he will

receive his "boot" training for ac-

tion

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## Come Home, Government!

Much has been said and written in recent months about the reduction of a federal government budget that has now reached \$70 billion a year. As a candidate, President-elect Eisenhower reportedly said the budget could be cut almost in half within a few years. Some authorities on public finance have suggested a general reduction at a rate of about \$10 billion a year. Dr. Harley L. Lutz, professor emeritus of public finance, Princeton University, is specific.

In a lecture to the Harding College student body, sponsored by our new School of American Studies, Dr. Lutz recommended basic changes in federal and state governmental responsibilities, and changes also in the allocation of tax sources. Under his carefully detailed plan a federal budget goal of \$51.7 billion would be possible for the fiscal year 1953-54, and his tax plan for their year would bring in \$32.8 billion, providing a \$2 billion margin for debt reduction.

## Too Cluttered Up

Dr. Lutz goes back to the U. S. Constitution for a redrawing of the responsibilities of the federal government. "Defense and foreign affairs stand out," he notes, "as the most important task. If the Congress and the top officers of the executive branch were free to give most of their time and energy to this important task, perhaps we would have a clearer, more positive and more protective policies in these fields. As long as the time and energy of the Congress and executive officers are frittered away over a thousand petty, minor details we can expect only tumbling across the board, with the small and the great tasks alike."

He recommends that all welfare services be made the full responsibility of the respective states; likewise education, highways and public health services. By giving all gasoline and oil taxes to the states, all except the sparsely populated states could maintain their own highway systems, he contends, pointing out that the federal government gets about \$400 million more from these taxes than it pays back to the states in highway grants.

## More State Revenue

The need for additional school revenue in all 48 states could be met, Dr. Lutz points out, by giving to the states the present federal taxes on admission, dues and initiation fees, safety boxes, bowling alleys, coin devices, and stamp alleys, which produced \$27.5 million dollars in federal taxes last year. In the welfare and health services, he recommends that the federal government concern itself with research and counsel, leaving the financing to the states. However, he thinks the Old Age and Survivors Insurance old age pension problem can best be handled by the federal government, though he contends it should be placed on a pay-as-you-go basis.

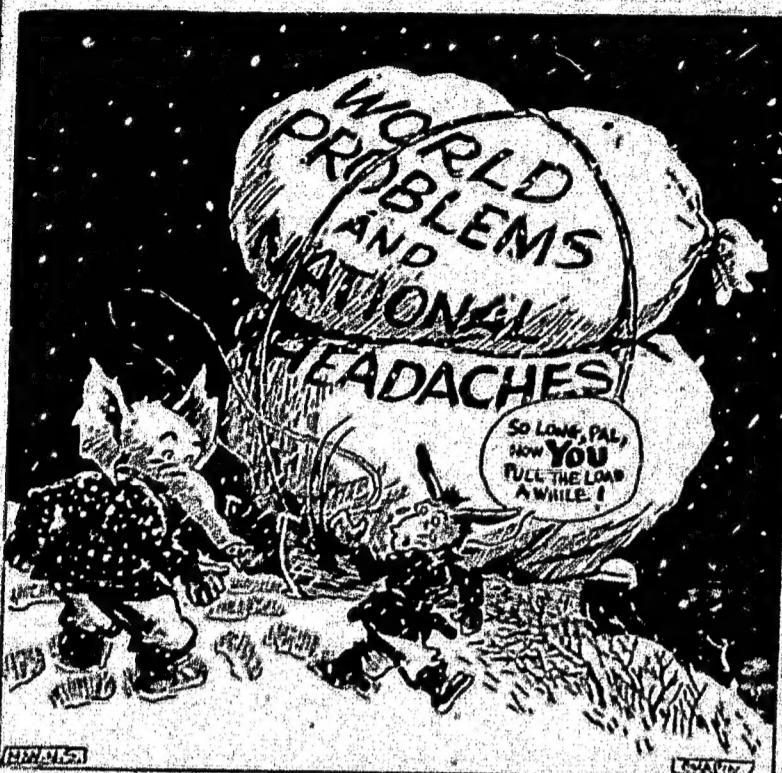
"By leaving enough of the people's income at home," he says, "the several states can provide whatever may be needed for the various kinds of welfare and other services out of their own funds."

## Fantastic Bureaucracy

One of the great causes of increased taxes, controls, and governmental burdens generally, Dr. Lutz observes, "has been the expansion of the federal government into many areas not logically or even constitutionally belonging to it." He lists the administrative and operating units of the federal government: Departments, 12; Offices, 69; Commissions, 8; Administrations, 26; Corporations, 21; Services, 122; Bureaus, 110; Divisions, 61; Branches, 26; Boards, 51; Miscellaneous, 416. Total, 2,058.

The key change in his tax revision recommendation provides for cutting down considerably on the federal income tax rate, so the states can have this source more for their local needs; and the obtaining of a major portion of the federal taxes through a manufacturer's excise tax with food and food products exempted, and with alcoholic beverages and tobacco

## "PARTING IS SUCH SWEET SORROW"



## ABOVE THE HULLABALOO

By LITTLE BULL  
THIS is Hullabaloo's valedictory. Now that we are about to change an Administration which has done us such great harm, there won't be much for this writer to holler about except the Bolsheviks, and every one has—at long last—taken up the hue and cry in that quarter.

What tremendous world changes have occurred since this column first appeared in John W. Perry's Reading (Pa.) Times. We have had a world war to the detriment of everyone except the Red leaders. We have, through stupidity—or worse, assisted in the enslavement of hundreds of millions of once free human beings. We have placed a financial burden of over two hundred thousand millions of dollars debt upon ourselves and our descendants. We could have rebuilt a free and happy world—except for Russia—but now a dark and dangerous cloud hangs over it, and there is no real joy in the heart of anyone who is intelligent enough to grasp the terrible danger which we face—danger of actually losing our lives as have so many millions in Russia, China and the captive nations.

This writer's great hope and prayer is that our new government will throw away the silly gloves, root out all the filthy traitors in government and elsewhere, and send them where they can never break loose to start the murder of their fellow citizens, which their craft advocates.

He hopes our new leaders will realize—as does the military—that the Spanish Peninsula is the most vital spot in European defense until such time as the free nations are able to match the slave nations in ground and air strength.

Pray God that Whitaker Chambers was wrong when he said to his wife as he was turning his back on Communism—"You know, we are leaving the whining world for the living world."

\* \* \* The \* \* \*  
LOW DOWN FROM \*  
HICKORY GROVE \*

CARNEGIE

## DALE CARNEGIE

★ AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING" ★

A PROBLEM WAS solved in a unique way for John L. Davis, 1880, a Washington Street, San Francisco, California. He was working for a Bank & Trust Company in San Francisco, and he definitely was in a rut. He was not getting ahead as fast as he had a right to feel he should. He worried about what step to take, yet he was afraid to quit and look for something better.

Finally he decided to write a letter addressed to himself reviewing the facts and challenging himself to make the break in the next ninety days. He wrote this letter and signed it.

Next he made up a list of his friends and decided to call on them for help, giving his qualifications and the reason why he felt he should get out of the slow moving banking business.

The first man he called on was a vice president of another San Francisco bank who said he would be glad to offer John a position in his bank, but they both felt that would not fundamentally solve the problem. In a few days this vice president telephoned John to come to see him, and said that they were looking for a security analyst.

John was admirably qualified because of his work in the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. He immediately went to see the President of the new company and was accepted for the position. Within three years he was a vice president and a director of the company, with a salary three times what he had been making at the bank.

He believed he really conquered his fear and stopped his worry by writing the letter to himself just setting the facts down in black and white and making clear his course of action. The call on his friend was motivated by the need for action to make the change in ninety days. The final result was what he had desired and that result was inevitable once he had written the letter.

## Economic Highlights . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare

J. A. Livingston, a syndicated writer of economic affairs, recently devoted a column to the 1953 business outlook. He quoted Ralph J. Cordingley, president of General Electric, as saying, "I believe our business in 1953 will be as good as, maybe even better than, this year. I expect that sometime in the second quarter . . . we'll have to start selling harder than at any time since the end of the war."

It may seem something of an anomaly that top business leaders believe they must do a real selling job in the near future even though the average personal income of Americans is at the highest level in history. Mr. Livingston cites several reasons why this should be true. One is that the prospect of more inflation is no longer an incentive to buy—prices have varied very little in late months. Another is that personal income, after taxes are taken out, is not rising as fast as it did in '50 or '51. A third reason is that "real income" per person—which takes into account the effect of inflation—has hardly changed in the last three years. A fourth reason is that a larger proportion of our incomes now goes for basic necessities than was formerly the case. And fifth reason is that savings have increased—from \$46,000,000,000 just before the war ended, exclusive of currency and demand deposits, to \$140,000,000,000 now.

Moreover, as Mr. Livingston points out, the people who have the savings also have, for the most part, postwar autos and appliances and other such possessions. They aren't eagerly awaiting a chance to buy costly articles as they were when the war ended.

All in all, the educated guessers are taking a reasonably sanguine view of the economic future.

## GATES ROOTS OPINION

Carthage, Ill., Republican: "A little more than a century and a half is not a very long time in the history of man, and the principle of freedom of speech, worship, press and assembly, the right of due process of law and trial by jury, security against unlawful search and seizure and protection against cruel and unusual punishment is still a somewhat revolutionary idea. The struggles of men in many parts of the world today are for just such principles. We in America who regard these rights as part of our heritage should remember that preserving the documents does not preserve the ideals. Only a strong and alert, freedom-loving people

taxed separately. If the recommended changes in services from federal and state governments had been made a year ago, it is likely efficiency had likewise been effected, and his tax revision adopted, a reduction of \$12 billion could have been made in the 1952-53 budget. The details of his Lutz plan may be found in his book, *A Platform for the American Way*, Appleton-Century-Crofts, New York. It's good reading for all taxpayers.

## A TIMELY REMINDER—



## THIS WEEK IN Washington

IT IS ONLY a matter of days until Dwight Eisenhower becomes President Eisenhower and assumes one of the greatest responsibilities of the world, possibly the most important single position in the world, Washington is always in a dizzy whirl when a new administration assumes power, but even more so this time because it will be the first complete change in 20 years.

And as the time approaches for the "big change" Washington observers are trying to find the answers to a number of questions that time alone will answer. One of them concerns possible discord within his party over foreign policy.

Eisenhower has named his cabinet and top advisers. Most of them are conservative in that they believe in a balanced budget and, what many call, "orthodox" finance. Many point out that the President-elect himself believes in these ideals.

On the other hand, Eisenhower is committed to a strong, aggressive foreign policy that will cost billions. It can not, under any circumstances, cost much less than that of previous Democratic administrations during the first year or so.

This brings up the question in the minds of many Washington observers. Will there be a conflict between the two points of view within his administration? Can the two be reconciled without damage to the whole?

Most observers believe Eisenhower, because of his tremendous popularity and forceful nature, will pull the two ends together and weld them into an unbreakable chain. But it certainly will be a difficult job. Time alone holds the answer.

Another of the questions being asked in Washington is how complete is the Eisenhower-Taft accord?

The general feeling now is that the two men will, as a general rule, be able to work in harmony. There are a number of logical reasons for this thinking.

First, it is being pointed out, that Eisenhower's endorsement of Taft for the post of majority leader has almost completely erased previous discord between the two men. Had Eisenhower endorsed someone else there is no doubt there would have been a bitter battle in the senate over the election of a majority leader. Such a battle would have left numerous scars within the administration.

Second, Senator Taft is determined that the Republican administration will be a successful one. And he desires, above all else, to keep the Republican party strong and healthy. That can not be done with discord within the administration.

And third, as majority leader Senator Taft is pledging a new loyalty to Eisenhower. In that post, he becomes the President's representative at the capitol. Such a position calls for trust and understanding between the White House and the senator.

Most observers believe that Eisenhower would never have backed Taft for the post if there was a possibility for an unbreakable conflict.

No one in Washington is thinking that the two men, both forceful and intelligent, will agree upon every subject. But observers do believe that they will discuss their points of disagreement and compromise for the good of the Republican administration and the country.

As time goes along there will be numerous rumors concerning discord. It is unlikely, however, they will ever reach the stage of the famous Barkley-Roosevelt split of the New Deal era.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

1. Quince

2. Sultan

3. A yawning boy

4. Long overcoat worn by

5. Biting insect

6. Kingfisher

7. Wrote Robin Hood

8. Crusoe

9. Sunburn

10. Sunburn

11. Crib

12. Soft food

13. Creepers

14. Earth

15. A canary

16. Connected

17. Concessions of

18. Illinois daily

19. Hunting dog

20. Hesitant

21. Constant

22. Growing out

23. Outfit

24. Small repres.

25. Turf

26. Heron

27. Lake

28. Philippines

29. To want

30. Levied

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## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. — The eighth meeting of the Jolly Workers 4-H Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman on the evening of Jan. 7, with all members present. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Cushman, Otis Dudley and Lloyd Cushman.

The leader, Mrs. Dudley, told the members about their questionnaire papers and also about the "National 4-H News" magazine for which the Club voted to subscribe. The members have signed up for 19 projects this year.

Mr. Cushman, chairman of the board of selectmen, explained the duties of the County Commissioners. Mrs. Mills had charge of the games, in which everyone participated. After the meeting, Mrs. Cushman served refreshments.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mills.

Midshipman Milton Mills spent a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mills last week. James Tyler carried him by auto to Bucksport Saturday morning. He expected to leave with other Castine midshipmen, the first of this week, for the annual cruise.

Miss Irene Whitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Whitman, a student nurse at the Maine Medical Center, Portland, was at home over the week end.

The Fellowship Group of the Universalist Church will meet at the Town Hall, Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, preceded by a 6 o'clock supper. Officers will be elected and a program given, in charge of Merle Ring.

## NORWAY CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Thurston and Lynn attended the Bridgton-Norway basketball game at the Norway Armory last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lillian Thurston took Lena Mae Thurston, June Bachelder, Gertrude French and Esther Frost to the 4-H leaders monthly meeting held at East Bethel, Jan. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Brown were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Bachelder Wednesday.

The men of the Norway Extension group held a meeting Thursday afternoon at the Norway Center Church vestry with Richard Blanchard of Cumberland as speaker. His subject was "The Farm Income for 1953."

Harold Thomas from New York was at his cottage on the west side of Pennsescawasse one day this week. He was able to drive in with his car which is rather unusual for this time of year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morgan of Portland were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thurston.

Mrs. Merilline Thurston served on a Rebekah supper committee Saturday night, the purpose of which was to earn money for the I. O. O. F. project of respirators for Maine hospitals.

Word has been received of the death of Kenneth Moffat of Egypt, Mass., who was a cottage owner here at the lake for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Bachelder and daughters, Margaret and Candace, were recent supper guests of their aunt, Mrs. June Penfold of South Paris.

## MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres. — Mrs. Nora Bennett and daughter, Miss Martha Bennett, have had very bad colds lately but are better.

Clinton Bennett, Jr., returned to Fort Wayne, Indiana, after a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bennett.

Mark Harvey has gone from Abbott Brook to Kennebago to work.

Malcolm Harvey and Calvin Griffin went from Abbott Brook to Parma to work.

Rex Bennett was home over the week end from Dow Field where he is stationed at present.

There were no church services on last Sunday as Mr. Duke is ill with laryngitis.

Miss Martha Bennett spent Sunday afternoon at Mrs. Mabel Cameron's.

Tuesday, January 13th, was Mrs. Mabel Cameron's birthday, also her son's, A. Donald Cameron's. She is 84 this birthday.

We had three warm days recently but the wind is blowing and it is cold again.

Ewen Cameron caught a large bobcat last week and lost two more.

Richard Turner was home over Saturday and Sunday from Farmington where he is scaling.

A. Donald Cameron and Clinton Bennett are trapping beaver.

The Sargent family who have been living at Sturtevant Pond where he was employed by the Grafton Lumber Company, have moved back to Bridgton.

## WATERFORD

Mrs. Kathleen O'Leary, Corres. — Mrs. Marla Mason and son, Charles, had as their guests, Col and Mrs. John Farnsworth on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Evelyn Rogers is again Chairman of the March of Dimes this year.

Frank Morse has returned home after attending a Young Orchardists Class at the University of Maine the past week.

Peroy Kimball has finished work at the Harrison Box Mill and has been in Bridgton the past week helping Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey who have been ill with bad colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lord of Bethel called on their sister, Kay O'Leary, Friday.

Elaine Morse, Mary Fillebrown, Alice Rounds and their sons, and Kay O'Leary were in Portland, Thursday.

Guy Bancroft moved Frank Morgan to his camp on Plumber Hill on Sunday.

## GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Collis Morgan, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Leon Holt and family were callers at Maynard Chase's, West Paris, on Sunday.

Merv Whitman, Woodstock, was a caller at Clyde Morgan's on Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Curtis and daughter have returned home from the St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston. The baby has been named Lillian Hatte and was born December 30.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings of Bethel was a recent caller at her mother's, Mrs. Linnie Cole's.

Kuuti Tamminen who has been very ill with pneumonia is gaining.

Alpo Kuujala has been ill but is able to eat again now.

## GILEAD

Mrs. Florence Holden, Corres. — deferred

Miss Maureen Witter, a student nurse of the Jersey City Hospital, N. J., is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Witter.

Miss Sophia Losier and Raymond Losier of Portsmouth, N. H., are guests of friends in town.

Mrs. Clifford Cole has been confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Mabel Robertson of Bethel is spending the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland on the Bog Road.

Raymond Holder was a visitor in Portland last Tuesday.

Lawrence Robertson, foreman of the CNR section in Gorham, N. H., is confined to his home by illness.

Joseph Kneeland has returned to Orono to resume his studies at the University of Maine after spending his vacation at his home here.

Mrs. Joyce Sheridan has returned to Washington, D. C., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Witter.

Mrs. Stephen McLain has been confined to her home with a bad cold.

Word has been received here of the death of Charles C. Chase, a former resident of this town at his home in Durham last Sunday.

He was born in Peru, May 9, 1875, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Chase. He was an official at the Wild River CCC Camp in Hastings, but has been retired since 1940, and at one time was proprietor of Snow Falls Inn, West Paris. He leaves one son, Cecil, of North Turner; and three daughters, Mrs. Iona Lambert, Livermore Falls, Mrs. Eunice Jones of Auburn, and Mrs. Violet Tilton of Freeport.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the friends, relatives, and neighbors for their thoughtfulness shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for the comforting words of Rev. Meyer, and the many lovely floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wheeler

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wheeler

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wheeler

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strughold

None of us liveth to himself. — Romans 16:7

## UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Judkins and daughter, Dorcas, returned Tuesday this week from New York City, where they have been visiting her father for the last two weeks.

Grange met in regular session at the home of C. A. Judkins Saturday evening, Jan. 10. After the business meeting, the Lecture presented a good program of readings—Parade of the Months—interspersed with games. Later lunch was served and card games were played. Guests were present during the program and card games.

Ladies' Aid met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Jennie Judkins.

Fred Judkins showed movies at the school house Tuesday evening.

## GROVER HILL - MASON

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Corres. —

Evelyn Mundt was honored at a party Saturday celebrating her 8th birthday at her home. Those present were Nancy Saunders, Susan Boynton, Bonnie Whitman, Evelyn Sprague, Janet Cragin, Barbara, Margaret and Evelyn Mundt. Silding was enjoyed by all. Prizes were won by Janet. Refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and hot chocolate were enjoyed.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Whitman and Dale, Mrs. Beatrice Andrews and Mrs. Jeanette Treafethen.

Mrs. Sidney Rogers is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman.

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Corres. —

George Wentworth yarded pine for Roy and Arthur Wardwell recently.

The Pechnik Brothers are hauling feldspar to Topsham.

Alice Wardwell and daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews at Bryant Pond over the week end.

Jacob Immonen called at Wardwells on Monday.

Some of the Wentworth children have been having chicken pox.

The roads are very icy in this locality.

## ALBANY-WATERFORD

Lillian L. Brown, Corres. —

Ray Langway has purchased the station which he owned and operated at Locke Mills for several years. Possession to be taken February 1st. It is understood Mr. and Mrs. John Kingman will take over for Mr. Langway at his chicken ranch.

Mr. Langway has eight thousand five hundred chickens ready for delivery. Mrs. Langway who has several head of young stock, will sell them before moving.

The Langways have been very active in the Grange and the community here the past few years and will be greatly missed by their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown were in Norway Wednesday and had dinner with their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball and friend were recent supper guests at Langways.

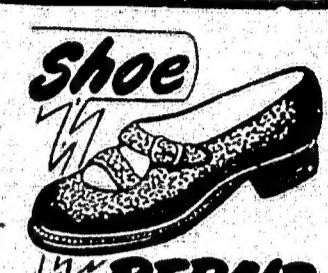
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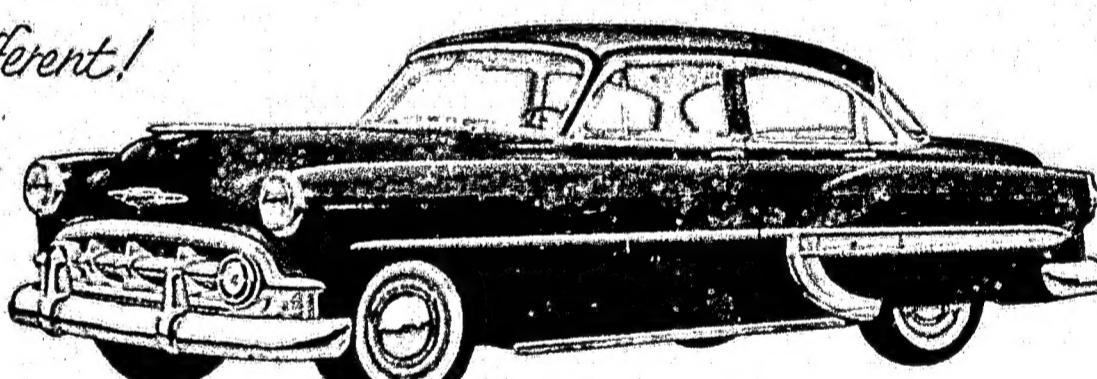
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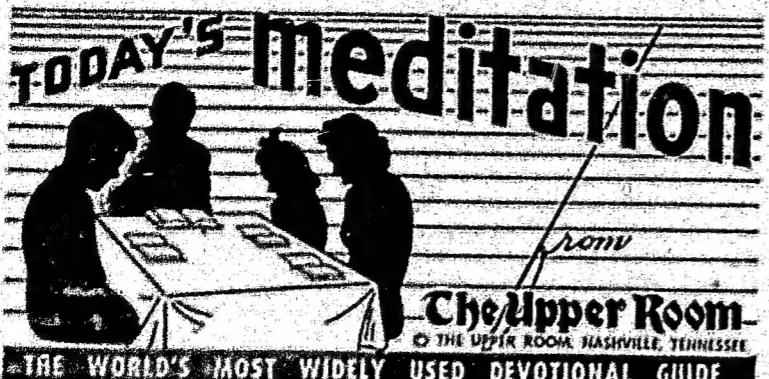
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**I**N England, a missionary going to French West Africa paid tribute to a "Miss White who, for many years, has exerted a fragrant ministry from her wheelchair among young and old." How easy for her to have complained at the mischance which condemned her weak body to a prison on wheels. But she had visions of far places. This young missionary caught her vision and through his mission work, her chair is turned chariot.

Long ago Paul said to the Philippian Christians: "What has happened to me has, in effect, turned out to the advantage of the Gospel. For, first of all, my imprisonment means a personal witness for Christ before the Palace guards,

not to mention others who come and go. Then, it means that most of our brothers, somehow taking fresh heart in the Lord from the very fact that I am a prisoner for Christ's sake, have shown far more courage in boldly proclaiming the word of God."

**Prayer**

God, no matter what fitters or bars our lives, help us not to be bitter. Let us not live to be useless. Let Thy grace abound that we may use even our mischances to the advantage of the Gospel. We pray in the blessed Saviour's name. Amen.

**Thought For The Day**

Whatever happens, I will make my life worthy of the Gospel of Christ. —Arthur Organ (Ontario)

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## THE AMERICAN WAY PATHS TO POWER

by  
Dr. Alfred  
P. Hanke



Alfred P. Hanke

**E**DITORIAL NOTE: Alfred P. Hanke, Ph.D., is Chairman of the Laymen's National Committee and Mayor of Park Ridge, Illinois.

Power is as important to a human being as it is to an automobile. In fact the power serves some purpose, and the degree of efficiency attained depends in large measure on the manner of control exercised over the application and use of the power.

But, unlike the automobile, the human being has freedom to choose for himself and must take the consequences of the choices he makes. The purposes he serves or seeks are also of his choosing; so the question of power is very important to him.

With power, the man who knows where he is going and has control over himself sufficient to direct that power, can reach fulfillment and even greatness. Otherwise, the man is nothing more than a creature subject to the whims of mathematical possibilities and chance.

Man needs power to do things and become something. It is because of power not possessed by other creatures that man was able to lift himself from primitive savagery to civilization. It is because some men have more power than others that they rise above the level of the average among men.

What is the power by which man can attain fulfillment and mastery, and what is the path to that power?

Some seek it in money, for with money one can buy much. It is the Midas touch that places in the hands of some the power to buy all other people as well as things. But that is not the real power, for it disappears with the departure of the money. A man is poor indeed when he is separated from the power which mere possession of money gave him.

Others seek it in persuading people to their purposes, through personality or sheer mental and physical domination. Such power can be attained through study and exercise of powers already at hand. Work leads to power. The prestige of a name, a reputation made or inherited, are also paths to power.

But the enduring power which grows with the years and is able to withstand the chilling climate of adversity and disaster, is a power inherent within the individual who uses it.

For that power man can rely on the development of his own facilities of mind and matter. But even such power can rise no higher and be no greater than the man himself. The greatest achievements and contributions accomplished and made by men have not resulted from powers merely inherent in themselves. They have come in response to a power from the infinite source of all power. It is the power of God, the power that activates the universe, made available to man in the measure that he is capable of using it, that makes miracles and fails never.

Jesus made that clear when he disclaimed any power within himself or of his own as responsible for the things he could do. It was the power of God working through him. And he promised that his disciples and those who came afterward could do even greater things through that same power of God than Jesus himself had done.

The path to power lies in obedience. Let a man yield himself to the will of God, take upon himself the yoke of the Almighty, and the power of God becomes his to use in that service.

But it must be a conscious obedience. That service, unquestioning and blind, acceptance that comes with yielding one's self to the absorbing motion of a moment is not enough. One who thus yields may find peace, but not power.

It is through understanding of the laws that govern life that one can master the manifestations of life. It is through consequent yielding of one's self to those laws that he can lift himself toward identification with the will that implemented those laws. It is through voluntary, conscious and deliberate obedience to God that the power of God becomes ours to use in his service.

And the path to God is through prayer—prayer that has for its key the simple and all-powerful acceptance in the words, "Thy Will Be Done."

Authorised Christian Science literature is available in the public library or may be read, borrowed or purchased at my home—Mrs. Irma H. Thompson, Vernon Street, Phone 28.

## EAST BETHEL

—Mrs. David S. Foster, Corres.

The Early Risers 4-H Club had a very good meeting last Thursday at the home of their leader, Mrs. Gladys Tyler. Most of them made knife holders, while the others made shelves.

Mrs. Annie Stowell of Yarmouth is helping care for Ed Billing who is feeling a little better.

The East Bethel Men's and Women's Extension Group will meet Thursday, Jan. 16, with Bethel, North Newry, and Albany as the Methodist Church vestry. The topic will be Home Gardens and the principal speaker is to be Robert Paulson, Vegetable Specialist of the University of Maine.

Bobby Clark who lives with Mrs. Florence Curtis was seriously injured late Sunday afternoon when an arrow struck the corner of his eye. He was treated by Dr. Boynton who sent him to the Central Maine General Hospital in Lewiston. The doctors say that they believe there will be no impairment of his vision.

The 4-H Leaders' Meeting held January 9 was very good. There were 34 present and Mrs. Gladys Conant was in charge. Miss Dorothy Arndt gave a very interesting talk along with the showing of the beautiful slides of her bicycle trip to Massachusetts and Rhode Island. It was decided to have the Style Dress Revue on May 23 at the South Paris Grange Hall.

Cynthia Coolidge is ill with a severe cold.

Mrs. Ida Blake received a big Sunshine Box from her friends and neighbors last Saturday evening. It was a great surprise and has given her much pleasure. She wishes to thank all of the friends and neighbors who contributed to it. She is feeling much better.

Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett attended the Pythian Sisters' Convention at Portland Monday.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Agnes Halnes. She gave them some pointers on sewing. Demonstrations were rehearsed also as all members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings attended the Trade Show in Lewiston, Tuesday.

Serena Coolidge spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruth Greenleaf at Lockett Mills.

The old big willows on the McLean place that have been for so long a landmark to many of the older members of our community have had to be taken down due to the advent of modern progress. New high tension wires are to be put up there and the old willows which must be nearly 200 years old were in the way. Although the spot looks barren now, it will save us worry about the trees coming down on the lines some stormy day.

### V. A. NEWS LETTER

Prospective GI home buyers, sellers and brokers who become involved in so-called "side deals" or "under the table" payments in connection with the purchase of a home under the GI Bill are subject to severe Federal penalties, according to Manager M. L. Stoddard, of the VA Center, Togus.

Stoddard said that prospective sellers who accept cash from a veteran over and above VA's appraised value of a house will be subject to triple damages in Federal courts. For instance, the seller who illegally accepts a \$1,000 cash payment over the VA appraisal value will be fined \$3,000 for circumventing the law.

Stoddard warned veteran buyers that by entering into such an illegal contract they may place in jeopardy not only their loan guarantee benefits but all veterans' benefits to which they might be entitled.

GI home buyers should realize that the VA appraiser is "on their team," Stoddard said. VA appraisers are assigned to report to the VA the fair and reasonable value of properties, in view of the current market.

Congress has set up the GI loan program to assure veteran home buyers adequate financing, and has placed on VA the responsibility of seeing that the veteran does not pay an excessive price for the home he buys, Stoddard said.

—Question and Answer—

Q—I want to get a GI business loan to buy equipment for a gas station. How many years can I take to pay it back?

A—Under the law, GI non-real estate business loans may be made for up to ten years, but your lender has the right to ask for repayment before that time.

Principal field crops in Maine are potatoes, sweet corn, beans, peas, hay and other forage crops, and oats.

Young children are often cared for in a separate room during meetings of women's Extension Association groups in Maine. Extension groups make toys and the members take turns caring for the youngsters. This permits mothers of young children to attend the meetings and allows the Extension meeting to be conducted without interruption.

## ALBANY HUNTS CORNER AND VICINITY

—Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.

The church service Sunday morning was conducted by the Rev. W. I. Bull.

Clyde Hall and daughter, Mary, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney Monday of last week.

Mrs. Laura Pinkham, Mrs. Edith Stearns, and Mrs. Annie Bumpus took dinner with Ben Inman Tuesday.

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Rolle was the outstanding scorer with 24 points, two more than the combined efforts of the rest of the team. For Livermore, Bailey with 14 and Lavender with 12, led the winners.

Along with many costly errors, the Huskies were badly outplayed of the backboards. It was the tenacious determined rebound ability of the visitors that made the difference in the game.

In the prelim, the Gould J.V.s with Daley and Rowe scoring 12 and 11 points, defeated Gould Dorn Independents 43-23.

The speakers scheduled for the evening session are: George E. Curtis, Jr., Augusta, administrative assistant to Governor Burton M. Cross; Guy P. Butler, Portland, executive manager of the Publicity Bureau; and president Arthur F. Maxwell, Blideford, toastmaster.

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AMVETS CHIEF . . . Harold Russell, head of the Amvets, and his wife, Rita, smile on arrival home. Russell, a World War II double amputee, attended a World's Federation of War Veterans meeting in London.

## PHILLIPS SPEAKER AT PUBLICITY BUREAU MEETING

Dr. Charles F. Phillips, president of Bates College, Lewiston, will be the principal speaker at the 31st annual banquet of the Maine Publicity Bureau at Bangor, Jan. 21.

Dr. Phillips, an authority on Marketing and Market Research, was former editor-in-chief of the "Journal of Marketing" has had published several books relative to marketing problems. Some of these include: "Marketing," "Government Spending and Economic Recovery," "The American Neutrality Problem," "Retailing: Principles and Methods," and "Marketing Problems." He has also written numerous articles for other publications on the subject.

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## GOULD AT MEXICO TUESDAY

On Tuesday the Huskies traveled to Mexico to take on Bill Fraser and Company. The Pinto elongated center will be a hard man for Gould's rather average height team to stop. Playing on the small Mexico floor will also add to the woes of the visiting team and Gould is preparing for a real tough battle.

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## SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crockett and two children of Locke Mills visited her mother, Mrs. Zella Smith, Saturday.

Frank and Earl Smith are staying in Mrs. Hollis Grindle's house and working in the woods for Chadbourn.

Hollis Grindle is taking treatment of Dr. Sweet in Norway.

Mrs. Leon Millett has been confined with an ulcerated tooth. Richard Lapham hurt his face while sliding Monday night.

Norma, Ethel and Sylvia Kimball spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Irene Hutchinson.

Mrs. Howard Lapham, Mrs. William Kimball and Mrs. Jennie Mayberry were in Berlin shopping on Tuesday.

The Kenston-Lapham Co. have purchased a team of horses.

Ralph Kimball and Erwin Hutchinson were in Portland Wednesday.

Dr. Wilbur Bull of Waterford

was making calls in this vicinity, Tuesday.

Mrs. Marlon Kimball was in Auburn on business Tuesday.

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NORWAY MAINE

At a recent Oxford County Leaders' Association meeting in East Bethel, 27 4-H leaders and assistants were present. The 4-H club leaders of East Bethel were hostesses to the group. Miss Doris Arndt, physical education instructor at Gould Academy, showed colored slides of her bicycle trip to Cape Cod in the summer of 1952. Dates were checked for different 4-H events to be held in the county.

Style Dress Revue will be held Saturday, May 23, at the South Paris Grange Hall. A food preservation meeting by Dr. Kathryn Britton will be at the Fire Hall in South Paris on Friday, January 16, at 1:30 p. m.

The next Oxford County 4-H Leaders' Association meeting will be at the Norway Center church on Tuesday evening, February 7.

A nominating committee was chosen to set up a slate of officers for the 1953 year. Mrs. June Bacelder, of Norway Center, was appointed chairman and other members of the committee are Benny Cyr, East Waterford, and Miss Evangeline Kimball, Rumford Center. The new officers will take office at the annual Leaders' meeting, March 3, at the South Paris Inn.

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Having those hot, steamed puddings for dessert often these days? They'll taste wonderful with cinnamon sauce which may be served hot or cold. Use juice from drained bears, season with cinnamon, chicken with cornstarch and add a bit of butter while still hot.

Have an easy casserole on these busy days. A good one uses a layer of sweet potatoes, covered with thick applesauce and is topped with pork sausage links. Bake in a moderate oven until sausage is cooked, about 30 minutes.

Your pot roast or leftover beef will take on extra appetite appeal when served with a relish of mixed cranberry sauce or jelly with mincemeat.

### RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Dark Chocolate Bars  
(Makes 10)  
1 1/2 cups sifted flour  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
Dash of salt  
1/2 cup shortening  
2 eggs, well beaten  
4 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted  
1/4 cup milk  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Cream shortening, add sugar and beat well. Add eggs and beat until blended. Add chocolate and blend well. Add milk, vanilla, then flour and beat until just smooth. Spread thin in shallow loaf pan and bake in a hot (400°F.) oven 20 minutes or until done. When cool, spread with chocolate frosting and cut into bars.

A good snack to have after coming in from a cold night uses split English muffins which have been toasted and then topped with sardines spread with mustard and a slice of cheese. Broil until cheese melts. Serve hot.

Serve canned fruit juices as a first course. Mix with an equal quantity of ginger ale, garnish with lemon slices and cherries.

Maine farmers are making more and more use of modern machinery each year.

### SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, No. 81, L. O. O. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. Lyons Bennett, Secretary, Rodney Hanson.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G. Ellis Cole, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Ernest Perkins, Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Ada Cummings, Secretary, Ethel Blakes.

Plummet Valley Grange, No. 156, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Chester Wheeler. Secretary, Miss Patricia Davis.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Henry Hastings. Secretary, J. Russell Graham.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesday. President, Ralph Young. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. R. C. R. Methodist Church. Meets first Thursday afternoons. President, Badie Brooks. Secretary, Doris Brown.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Ferol Godwin. Secretary, Mrs. Marie Nichols.

Meeker Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Arlene Walker. Secretary, Betty Robertson.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Frances Potter. Secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Cline.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evenings. President, Robert Keniston. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teachers Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Addison Saunders. Secretary, Josephine Whitman.

Five Town Teachers Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Ruth Hastings. Secretary, Doris Lord.

Mundt-Alien Post, No. 81, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Adeline Dexter. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Alder River Grange, No. 144, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Louise Coddige. Secretary, Marguerite Bartlett.

Bear River Grange, No. 188, Newry. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Ernest Le Holt. Secretary, Ma Wight.

Bethel Players. Meets third Monday, 8 p. m. President, Frank Noyes. Secretary, Sylvia Sloan.

## LAFF OF THE WEEK



"I'd think your mother would be awfully easy to recognize in that outfit!"

### TO HOLD MARCH OF DIMES TAG DAY, SATURDAY

Sixth annual "March of Dimes Tag Day" is to be held in Maine, Saturday, January 17.

"Tags for Tots" will be the theme Saturday when volunteers throughout the state will brave winter's uncertainties and solicit contributions from the public for the 1953 March of Dimes. In most communities, the identifying container will be the replica of the "Iron Jung" which is synonymous with the March of Dimes.

Nearly all Maine cities and towns will participate in this tag day to help meet the goal of the 16 Maine County Chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Hundreds of Maine boys and girls will assist with this event to help victims of polio. They are anxious too, to do their share of volunteer work towards raising additional funds for the research program being conducted with March of Dimes money to speed the day when infantile paralysis will no longer present a threat to the health of Maine men, women and children.

Parents and grandparents of young children will be particularly interested in the Maine Extension Service Bulletin 414, "Baby's Playtime." It's free from county and state offices of the Maine Extension Service.

### NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exec. of the Will of Dorothy Jean St. Clair late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs.

All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are directed to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Rupert F. Aldrich  
South Paris, Maine  
Dec. 16, 1952.

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### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, Yves J. Corriveau of Gilhead, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage dated July 27, 1948, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds (Eastern District) in Book 486, pages 173 & 174, conveyed to Oxford County Loan and Building Association, a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine, and having its place of business at Paris, in said County of Oxford, a certain lot or parcel of land together with the buildings thereon, situated in said Town of Gilhead, on the southerly side of the State highway leading through said Gilhead, known as U. S. Route No. 2, and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Bounded northerly by said highway, easterly by land now or formerly of Cornelius Wheeler, southerly by land now or formerly of George E. Leighton; westerly by land now or formerly of George D. Daniels, and being precisely the same premises as conveyed to me by Ferrell P. Witler by Warranty Deed which is now unrecorded, this being a purchase money mortgage for said premises.

WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been broken; Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, the said Oxford County Loan and Building Association, by this notice signed by its Treasurer, theretofore duly authorized, claims a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Paris, Maine, December 24, 1952  
Oxford County Loan and Building Association

By: Gordon M. Stewart, Treasurer

Corporate Seal: 1-3

## WEST PARIS

Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

**GESSNER - MERRILL**  
Mrs Doris Lucille Merrill, South Paris, daughter of Mr and Mrs Cleon Farrar, and Merle Thomas Gessner, Buckfield, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Gessner, were united in marriage in a double ring service, January 5, by Rev Eleanor Forbes at the Universalist Manse. They were attended by Mr and Mrs William Kenny, Mrs Inez Ring and Harland Libby.

Mr Gessner is a veteran of the Korean War, having served with the Second Infantry Division. They will make their home in Woburn, Mass.

First Universalist Church, Rev Earle W. Dolphine, minister. Sermon, Personal Salvation. Church School, 9:30. Universalist Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Farrar are the parents of a son, Timothy Eugene, born Saturday, Jan. 10, at the Oxford County Hospital, Norway. They have an older son, Gary Ronald.

The annual meeting of the First Universalist Parish was held Monday evening. Supper was served to about fifty previous to the business meeting, which was considered very successful. A further report will appear later.

The Universalist Youth Fellowship passed a very pleasant and instructive evening at Andover a week earlier.

Mrs Charles Curtis was the guest of Mrs Harlan M. Andrews at Stath Woodstock last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Atwood of Belchertown, Mass., who have been guests of their son-in-law and daughter, returned home Saturday. Mr and Mrs Dolphine and their daughter, Constance, accompanied them to Lewiston.

Mr and Mrs William Emery are suffering from very heavy colds.

Mr Emery is somewhat improved. Mrs Edwin J. Mann has been appointed chairman of the West Paris area for the March of Dimes for 1953. She will be assisted by Mrs Henry Stone.

The annual meeting of the West Paris Fire Department was held at Fireman's Hall, Tuesday evening. Lee Farrar was voted in as an additional member of the department. A demonstration of the portable forestry pump was the main event.

Mr and Mrs Walter David Durden are the parents of a seven pound, two and a half ounce son born Dec. 2, at Fort Ord Station Hospital, Calif.

David Fleet spent the week end with Richard Onofrio.

Mrs Barbara Mycharell was a Sunday caller at Estes Yates.

Mrs Nettie Fleet is slowly improving after her recent bad cold.

Save all you can, in your bank account, in Savings Bonds.

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Help Keep the Dollar Strong.

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—enough for five days, on trial, taken internally. When "RECOVER" has given you relief, just send us \$5.00. If you do not get relief, do not send us one penny!

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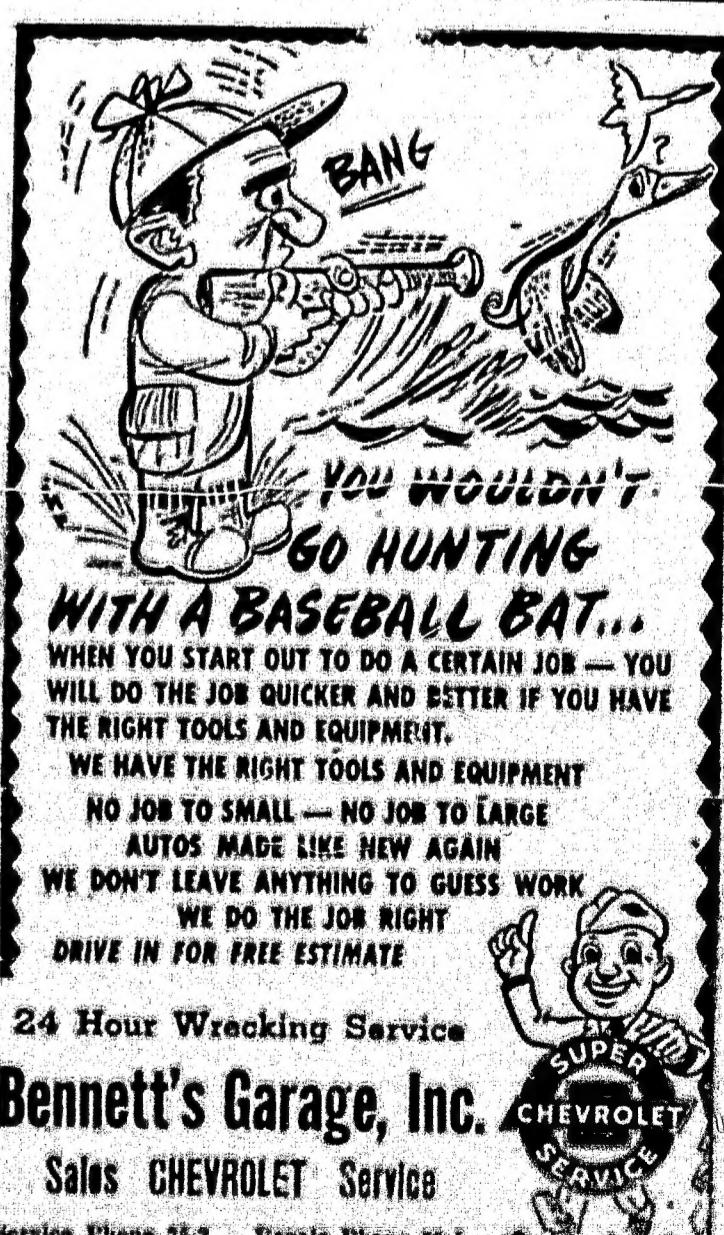
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## Research Backed by Polio Fund

Recent successes in the search for an effective, safe and permanent preventive of paralytic polio, have intensified the need for March of Dimes funds to explore and exploit the findings, according to Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"Certainly the discoveries concerning gamma globulin did not mean the end to polio problems," Mr. O'Connor said. "While they solved some problems, they also created many new ones."

The two main findings, Mr. O'Connor said, were that (1) gamma globulin provides marked protection of a temporary nature against paralytic polio and (2) it may modify the severity of polio during the late stages of the incubation period of the disease, even though it may not prevent the disease completely if given after the infection has taken place.

**Limitations Cited**  
Mr. O'Connor cited three important limitations to the use of gamma globulin.

1—It gives only temporary protection. Thus the search for a permanent vaccine must continue.

2—GG is in very short supply. Techniques for increasing the supply for reasonable use must be developed.

3—Gamma globulin research is incomplete. It must still be determined, for example, if GG will permit the mild, inapparent form of polio infection that leads to an active long-lasting immunity.

Large sums of March of Dimes money must be invested before solutions to the above problems are found, Mr. O'Connor pointed out.

**May 'Smother' Epidemics**  
"Our scientists insist that all we can reasonably hope for at this point," he said, "is that gamma globulin may be used in attempting to 'smother' polio epidemics in hard-hit areas. The final answer will still have to be a safe and effective vaccine that will provide relatively long-lasting immunity. Efforts to produce such a vaccine for widespread human use are being hopefully pursued."

Scientific research programs sponsored by the National Foundation are financed entirely by the March of Dimes. This annual appeal is now on and will be continued until Jan. 31.

MAINE PRODUCES MORE THAN  
10 MILLION BUSHELS OF  
CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES

Maine spud growers produced more than 10,381,000 bushels of certified seed potatoes in 1952. That's 10 per cent more than they grew in 1951. About 62 per cent of the crop was of the Katahdin variety, with Cobblers in second place. Kennebecks were third with about 10 per cent of the certified seed crop. Production of Green Mountain and Sebagos for seed was less than in 1951. Growing conditions were rather unfavorable for potatoes in Maine this past year. The average yield was the lowest since 1947.

No enterprise on Maine dairy farms has changed more in the last seven years than the production of roughage—pasturage, hay and silage. Maine dairymen have come to realize the importance of roughage for efficient and profitable dairy farming.

## WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Correspondent

Pleasant Valley Grange met on Thursday night. Robert Gilbert substituted for Master Chester Wheeler.

It was voted to have dances starting Saturday night with Howe's Orchestra playing. Members to meet Thursday night to work on the floor.

Program consisted of group singing, readings by Mrs. Norman Hall, Mrs. Robert Gilbert, and Mrs. James Westleigh; riddles by Mrs. James Westleigh.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and Norman Hall.

Refreshment committee for the next meeting is Miss Winona Korhonen, Mrs. Robert Gilbert, Mrs. Kathleen Bennett and Mrs. James Westleigh.

Visitors were present from Bear River and Franklin Granges.

Thomas Westleigh has been confined for several days by illness. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton were in Lewiston, Friday.

Mrs. Burton Newton and son, Roy, were in Portland, Monday.

Mrs. Jesse Bald and son, Albert, Gorham, N. H., called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott were in Lewiston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hancock were in Berlin, N. H., Wednesday.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buck and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck were at Norway Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Billings are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born at the Rumford hospital, Jan. 7. Mrs. Billings returned home Monday.

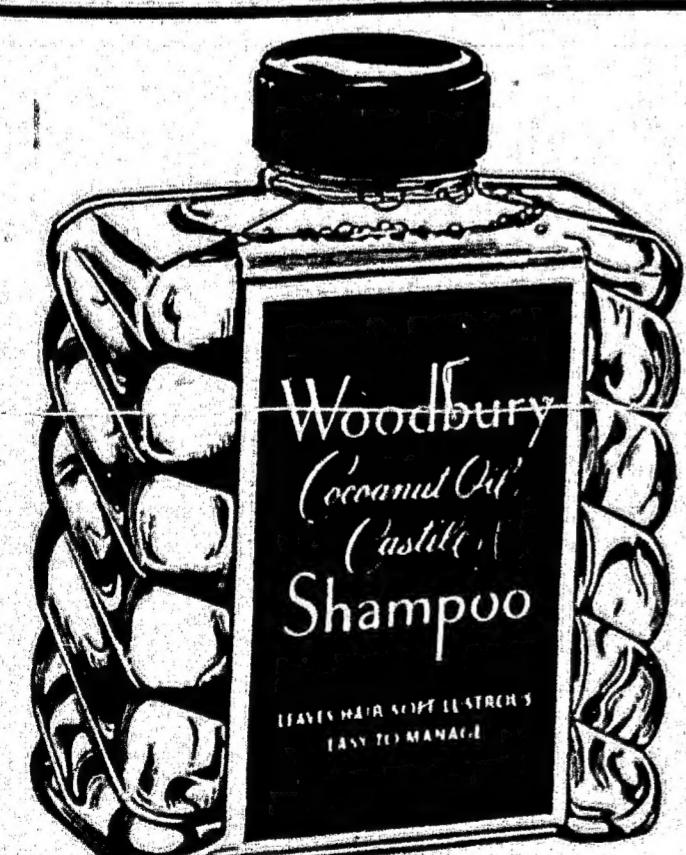
Herbert Noyes of the Navy from Rhode Island was a week end guest of his sister, Mrs. Sherwood Buck and family.

Moses Hardy is visiting relatives at Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings were at South Paris on business one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Frank Sweetser and daughter, June, visited one afternoon last week with Mrs. C. James Knights and Mrs. Christine Hill.

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# January Clearance Sale

Commencing FRIDAY, JANUARY 16th  
Ending Saturday, January 31st

Everything in the store is reduced during our Sale. Because of lack of space there are many things not itemized in this advertisement.

COME IN—LOOK AROUND—If you don't see what you want—Ask For It.

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8 Women's Winter Coats to Clean out at

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8 Women's Coats, spring and fall weight.  
New styles. Clean them out

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Children's 3 pc. Snow Suits. Coat, legging and  
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**\$5.00**

Girl's Coat and Ski Pant Set. Sizes 4 to 6x.  
\$16.95 value. Clean them up

**\$8.00**

Girl's Coat and Ski Pant Sets. Sizes 8 to 12.  
Values to \$24.95. Clean them out

**\$10.00**

## WOMEN'S DRESSES

One lot of Dresses. Value to \$8.00. Sale price

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One lot of Dresses. Value to \$10.00. Sale price

**\$6.95**

One lot of Dresses. Value to \$13.00. Sale price

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Boy's Coat, Legging & Hat Set. Value to \$19.95.  
Sizes 5 to 8. Clean them out

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Boy's medium weight Gabardine Jacket, flannel lined. Now

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Boy's Gabardine Jacket. Quilted lined. Mouton fur collar. Regular \$9.95. Now

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## RUMMAGE COUNTER

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Men's 100% wool Heavy Shaker Knit Sweaters. Boat neck. Turtle neck. Navy, Maroon, Royal. \$5.95 value. Now

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One lot of Children's Ski Pants. Sizes 3 to 6.  
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\$3.95 Long Sleeve Pullovers \$2.95

\$4.95 Cardigans \$4.45

\$5.95 Cardigans \$4.95

\$7.95 Hollywood Cardigan \$5.95

## WOMEN'S SKIRTS

Value Price Sale Price

\$3.49 to \$3.95 \$2.95

\$4.95 \$3.95

\$5.95 \$4.95

## ALL WINTER HATS at Half Price

## WOMEN'S GLOVES & MITTENS

Value Price Sale Price

\$1.00 Wool Mittens 69c

\$2.95 Fur back, wool palm

mittens \$1.95

\$3.95 All Fur Mittens \$2.50

\$3.95 Felt-lined Kid Gloves \$2.95

\$5.95 Felt-lined Kid Gloves \$4.69

## BOYS' & MEN'S PANTS

Value Price Sale Price

\$4.00 Work Pants \$3.55

\$7.00 Dress Pants \$5.95

\$8.50 Heavy green Wool Pants \$7.45

\$4.50 Boys' Dress Pants \$3.85

\$6.00 Boys' heavy green

Wool Pants \$5.69

## BOYS' & MEN'S SHIRTS

Value Price Sale Price

\$3.00 Boys' Gabardine Sport Shirt \$2.77

\$2.50 to \$2.98 Boys' flannel

Shirts \$1.95

\$3.00 Men's flannel Shirts \$2.77

\$7.95 Men's all wool plaid

Shirts \$5.95

## MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Value Price Sale Price

\$2.50 Men's Shirts & Drawers \$1.87

\$3.50 Men's ribbed Union Suits \$2.95

\$3.98 Men's heavy fleeced

## Years Ago

### 10 YEARS AGO

The Bethel branch of the Red Cross was making kit-bags for the men in the service.

Lt. Sidney Dyke was stationed as test pilot at the air depot, Rome, N. Y.

Deaths: Fred A. Galle, Maurice F. Tyler, Mrs. Sarah Maxfield, Percy C. Ripley.

### 20 YEARS AGO

Paul C. Thurston was named as a member of the Maine delegation to attend the inauguration of Franklin D. Roosevelt as president.

The girls' varsity basketball team of Gould Academy defeated the Gould Alumnae team 33-31. Miss Dorothy Hanscom was coaching the Gould varsity.

Deaths: Nahum Scribner, Eshburn T. Judkins, Mrs. Nancy Holbrook.

### 30 YEARS AGO

The Oxford County Citizen plant was disabled by a bad fire. Loss was heavy on the Cole Block. Publication of the paper was held up two weeks.

### 40 YEARS AGO

Deaths: Mrs. Carrie H. Jewett, Eugene S. Bean.

### CHARLES C. HUTCHINS

Friends of Charles Hutchins are grieved to learn of his death at his home in Crown Point, N. Y. His boyhood was spent in Bethel where his education was received at the town schools and Gould Academy. The following appeared in the Ticonderoga Sentinel:

Charles Hutchins died at his home at Crown Point Christmas morning. He was born in Stowham, Maine, sixty-one years ago. Although he had been in poor health for sometime, his death came as a severe shock to this town, where he had lived for the past twenty years. During those years, he had made many friends throughout this area.

For thirty-seven years, until the time of his death, he was employed by the Woodlands Department of the International Paper Co. This service had given him the distinction of a membership in the "Quarter Century Society." He also was a member of two fraternal organizations in town, Rescu Lodge, No. 772, and St. Frederick Lodge, I. O. O. F. At his request, no memorial services were held by these groups.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at Hartland's Funeral Parlors in Port Henry. The Rev. Graham Hedges, Pastor of the Congregational Church and the Rev. Claude Harrington, Pastor of the Methodist Church officiated. Interment was in the Breck Cemetery, in Crown Point.

Serving as bearers were four nephews of Mr. Hutchins: Robert Hutchins, of Newcomb, Wilbur Hutchins, and John Eaton, of Rochester, Vt., and Everett Hutchins, of Middlebury, Vt.

The entire office staff of the International Paper Co. at Glens Falls, Royal Potter of Rutland, Vt., Harold Rice, Benny Nels, and employees from the Ticonderoga Mill Yard, attended in a body.

Besides his wife, Mr. Hutchins is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Chester French, Jr., of Norway, Maine; Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Herbert Tift, Bethel, Me., and Mrs. Inc. Viner, of Washington, D. C.; a brother, Edward Hutchins, of Brandon, Vt., also thirteen nieces and nephews and twenty-five grandnieces and nieces.

### BORN

In Remond, Jan. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Billings, Bryant Pond, a son.

In Remond, Jan. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Auger, North Newry, a son.

In Remond, Jan. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Isaacs, Newry, a son.

In Fort Ord, Calif., Dec. 2, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Durden, a son.

In Norway, Jan. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parlar of West Paris, a son, Timothy Eugene.

### MARRIED

In West Paris, Jan. 5, by Rev. Eliecar D. Forbes, Marie T. Gesser of Buckfield and Mrs. Doris L. Merrill of North Paris.

### DIED

In Durham, January 4, Charles C. Chase, aged 71 years.

In Norway, Jan. 8, Andrew A. Barlow, aged 70 years.

In Lewiston, Jan. 9, Cleveland W. Bell, formerly of West Bethel, aged 72 years.

In Crown Point, N. Y., Dec. 25, Charles C. Hutchins, formerly of Bethel, aged 61 years.

### CARD OF THANKS

Once again I express my humble thanks to all my friends who remembered me with cards, letters and flowers while I was in the hospital. All these acts of thoughtfulness mean so much when one is ill and away from home.

Again I thank you all.

Mrs. Anna Young

## Brownies

The Second Grade Brownies met on January 7th for their first meeting of the new year. We elected officers. They are: President, Darlene Morrill; Secretary, Nancy Brown; Treasurer, Diana Douglass. We made our own refreshments which consisted of Honey Bear drink and Quacky Duck sandwiches. Hostesses for next week are Jackie Saunders and Debbie Howe.

Brownie Troop No. 4 met at the home of Mrs. Kaye Eames. After the business meeting a sliding party was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

The Second Grade Brownies met Jan. 14th with eight present. We made Daily Habit Charts to check during the next week. We had our business meeting and played games. Lovely refreshments were served by Jackie Saunders. Hostesses for next week are Beverly Gonya and Norma Jean Kimball.

### STATE'S SHARE OF FEDERAL BUDGET: \$306,490,300

Maine taxpayers will be required to pay approximately \$306,489,300 in Federal taxes as their share of the cost of the Federal spending program of \$78.6 billion proposed by President Truman for the fiscal year 1953-54. This estimate was released by the Maine State Chamber after the total of the President's spending budget was made public.

The State Chamber pointed out that the \$306,489,300 share which would be borne by Maine taxpayers to support the President's proposed budget is nearly four times the amount of \$78,571,693 collected by Maine's State Government last year to finance the entire State Government budget.

The State Chamber estimated that Maine residents and taxpayers presently bear .39 of the total Federal tax burden. Since Federal expenditures are met wholly by taxation this state's share of the Federal Government's spending burden for the Federal fiscal year 1953-54 will be .39 of \$78.6 billion or \$306,489,300, the State Chamber said.

Calling attention to a potential deficit, Paul C. Emerson, Executive Manager of the State Chamber said, "Although the President's Budget Message calls for a total expenditure of \$78.6 billion next year, it expects the Federal Government will collect \$82.7 billion in taxes and other revenues. This means that a budget deficit of \$9.2 billion will be incurred."

This .39 billion deficit alone is more than the total amount of money required to run the whole Federal establishment as late as the Federal fiscal year 1939-40. Emerson added, "The most popular campaign promise of General Eisenhower and his party was reduction in Federal spending accompanied by lower Federal taxes. The majority group in Congress is also on record for much less Federal spending and for real relief to taxpayers at the earliest possible date.

"The sincerity behind these campaign promises may now be measured by the zeal with which the new Administration and the new Congress tackle the big-spending Truman budget and cut it down to size which the nation's taxpayers can handle.

"The powerful pressure groups having a vested interest in big government spending will exert every effort to cut President Truman's spending proposals. It is up to the people of our State to counter this entrenched resistance by giving them full support to Congressional and Administration efforts to economize in government outlays and thus bring about a restoration of sanity in the management of Federal fiscal affairs."

The government has more employees than the nation's 50 largest corporations keep on their pay-rolls, according to an article by T. Coleman Andrews.

A Czech newspaper demanded more Communist education and less religion in the schools after getting a letter from a child which read: "Religious teachers know nothing. They say God is almighty and President Gottwald is not."

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

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The Ladies Club will meet Jan. 22nd at Holden Hall. Mrs. Gayle Foster will be hostess, assisted by Mrs. W. J. Creig and Mrs. R. M. Nichols. Mrs. Foster will have charge of the program.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Davis Wednesday evening with Mrs. Robert Kenaston as co-hostess. Plans were made for a pot-luck supper on Membership Night, Jan. 28, at the church and for a food sale on Jan. 17. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron

entertained the Couples' Bridge Club at the first party of the season at their home Saturday evening. A high couple prize was won by Mr. and Mrs. Dana Douglass; second, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe. Refreshments were served. Present besides Mr. and Mrs. Dana Douglass substituting for Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Tidder were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron.

A surprise birthday-stork show-

er was given by Mrs. Gardiner

Smith in honor of Mrs. Charles

Heino at her home last Thurs-

day evening. Mrs. Heino received

many gifts and refreshments were

served. Attending were Mrs. Gardi-

ner Smith, Mrs. Elmer Bean, Mrs.

Homer Smith, Mrs. Lee Hutchins,

Mrs. Homer Smith Jr., Mrs. Patri-

cenier, Mrs. Charles Merrill, Mrs.

Richard Blake Jr., Mrs. Billi An-

kins Jr., Mrs. Earlon Palne. Send-

ing gifts were: Mrs. Robert Mills,

Mrs. Robert Bean, Miss Eunice

Lane and Mrs. Betty Smith.

Rehearsals are under way for

the play, "It Happened One Night,"

which will be presented by the

Bethel Players next month. The

cast includes: Marie, Sylvia Stoen;

Andrew Tankers, Charles Pendleton;

Henriette Tankers, his second wife,

Emily Saunders; June Tankers,

his daughter, Constance Thurston;

Jeffrey Deacon, Gardner Smith;

Robert Donovan, Irving Cummings;

Liza, the colored maid, Harriett Noyes. The play is

under the direction of Miss Gwen

Stearns.

### EARLY RECOGNITION OF CANCER: SYMPTOMS URGED

Careful reading of a magazine article is strongly recommended by the American Cancer Society as one means of saving many lives from mouth and throat cancer.

Dr. Romeo A. Belliveau, president

of the Maine Cancer Society, said

today at state headquarters that

the article "What You Read Here

May Save Your Life," written by

Philip Wylie, is a "strikingly ac-

curate title." The piece appears in

the January 24 issue of Collier's

on the newsstands Friday.

The article emphasizes the fact

that "most cancers of the mouth

and throat that does not heal in

a week; a lump in the neck; or

hoarseness that persists for two

weeks."

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gives little time to society manners

or matters, and benefits society by

his example and usefulness.

—Mary Baker Eddy

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